

Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY KATHMANDU
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8062

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FOR NEA/INS

E.O. 11652 N/A
TAGS: PFOR, EAID, NP
SUBJ: RADIO EDUCATION PROJECT

REF: STATE 084582

1. EMBASSY HAS NO PROBLEMS WITH RADIO EDUCATION PROJECT WHICH IS CURRENTLY UNDERGOING REVIEW HERE IN LIGHT OF AID/W COMMENTS. RADIO NEPAL WOULD INDEED UTILIZE TRANSMITTER AND ANTENNA DURING THOSE HOURS IN WHICH EDUCATION PROJECT WAS OFF THE AIR. RADIO NEPAL, HOWEVER, IS DEVELOPING ITS OWN CAPABILITY (100 KW TRANSMITTER) TO PROVIDE NATIONWIDE COVERAGE WHETHER OR NOT EDUCATION PROJECT IS ACCEPTED, AND WOULD USE US PROVIDED FACILITIES ONLY AS BACKUP TO THEIR OWN EQUIPMENT.

2. RADIO NEPAL DOES NOT BROADCAST MATERIAL CRITICAL OF NEIGHBORING STATES, NOR DO WE FORESEE POSSIBILITY WHEREIN TRANSMITTER WOULD BE USED AGAINST OUR INTERESTS.

3. ONLY RESERVATION WE MIGHT HAVE IS EXTENT TO WHICH HMG IS COMMITTED TO PROJECT, A POINT RAISED BY AID/W. AID/NEPAL IS QUITE ADAMANT THAT PROJECT WILL NOT GO
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FORWARD UNLESS HMG DESIRES IT AND IS CURRENTLY AWAITING LETTER FROM MINISTRY OF FINANCE WHICH SPELS OUT EXTENT OF LOCAL COMMITMENT. ASSUMING THIS MEETS AID REQUIREMENTS,, WE WOULD SUPPORT PROPOSAL AS AMENDED.
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Message Attributes

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